

~~COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)~~

Docket No.
112740-055

In Re Application Of: **Gradischni**

JUN 28 2004

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/367,580	August 17, 1999	Phan	29177	2665	4526

**Invention: NODE SUPPORTING LINKS HAVING THE ABILITY TO TRANSFER LONGER MESSAGES
THAN ACCORDING TO CURRENT MTP LEVEL 2**

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This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of December 23, 2003 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: March 23, 2004 *Date* until: June 23, 2004 *Date*

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	-	20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	-	3 =	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$950.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$950.00

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A check in the amount of \$950.00 for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.

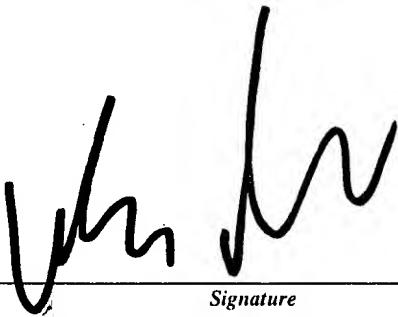
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Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 02-1818

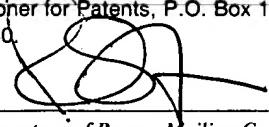


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Dated: June 23, 2004

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